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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1912.

ON TO TRENTON.

There will be a hearing at Trenton at 11 o'clock Tuesday morning on the Board bill, which provides that no municipality can place a sewage disposal plant within the territory of another municipality without the consent of the council and Board of Health of the municipality affected. Residents of Montclair requested the hearing that will be given Tuesday, and the Montclair representatives will doubtless oppose the bill.

There will be a large delegation from this town in favor of the bill and all citizens who can go are urged to do so in order to give the Legislators some idea of the opposition here to the Hineck-Person, Imhoff project. Belleville and Nutley will also be represented by delegations in favor of the bill. At the meeting last Saturday night of the joint committee of the towns engaged in the fight against the Montclair-East Orange scheme, special emphasis was laid on the effectiveness of sending a large representation to Trenton, and the Board of Trade and all other civic bodies in the three towns are urged to send representatives to the hearing. In the absence of Mayor Hauser, Mayor Dennison of Belleville presided at Saturday night's meeting. Seymour P. Gilbert of the Board of Health spoke on the necessity of keeping in close touch with the Legislature by going to Trenton as often as possible.

The Board of Trade had arranged to send a delegation to Trenton last Tuesday, but on advice of assemblyman Board the trip was postponed to Tuesday, the 20th inst.

Samuel Morris Dodd.

Samuel Morris Dodd, aged eighty-one years, a brother of Henry P. Dodd, died in St. Louis, Mo., on Tuesday. Mr. Dodd was a son of the late Stephen and Mary Dodd. His birthplace was in the old family homestead, which was one of the first houses erected in the Doddtown section of East Orange. He was educated in the Bloomfield Academy.

In 1851 Mr. Dodd went to St. Louis, where he obtained a position with the hat firm of Baldwin, Randall & Co., in which he soon became a member of the firm. In 1863 he bought out his partners and continued the business in his own name for three years, at the end of that time founding the wholesale dry goods firm of Dodd, Brown & Co. At the time of his retirement from active work in 1885 Mr. Dodd was a well known leading merchant of St. Louis. He was identified in many large business enterprises and was at one time president of the American Brake Company, the Edison Illuminating Company and the Missouri Electric Light and Power Company; vice-president of the National Bank of Commerce and the American Central Insurance Company.

Illustrated Guild Lecture.

The next entertainment in the First Church Guild course will be given Monday evening and will be an illustrated lecture by Mr. Ernest Harold Baynes on "Our Wild Animal Neighbors." Mr. Baynes' lecture is full of humorous and pathetic tales about the many animals he has known and is illustrated entirely with photographs taken by himself and Mrs. Baynes. Animal photographs are, to say the least, difficult to obtain, but by some clever faculty Mr. Baynes has always caught his animals in artistic poses.

His pictures are master pieces of beauty, and out of his years of observation and study, out of his deep love for and thorough knowledge of his subjects Mr. Baynes has made a lecture that cannot be matched anywhere in the peculiar pleasure that it gives to both young and old. He tells his story without attempt at oratorical effect, but with an entire absorption in his subject that brings his audience at once into sympathy with him.

This lecture at this time of the year will make us long for spring and the return of the birds and all that that means.

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BRIEF NOTES.

The Misses Edith and Elsie Eller gave a valentine party Wednesday night at their home in Watsessing.

Damage, roughly estimated at \$50,000, resulted from a blaze in the grocery of Charles M. Decker & Bros. at Main street and Washington place, East Orange, Monday night.

Joseph P. Condit, who was at one time the owner of considerable property in this town, died at his home in Madison Sunday.

The Bloomfield Savings Institution has elected these officers: Theodore H. Ward, president; Charles L. Seibert, vice-president; J. Howard Biddulph, treasurer; Halsey M. Barrett, counsel.

Frank Wisner, a charter member of Phoenix Hose Company and at present sergeant-at-arms of the company, will entertain the members of Phoenix at a dinner on March 6.

Jeremiah Delhagen of Jersey street is ill with pneumonia.

Louis Smith of Broad street has gone to Leesburg, Fla., for six weeks.

A problem social was held in the Park Methodist Church parish house last night.

Miss May Wyker is seriously ill at her home in Grace street.

Mr. and Mrs. Cochran of Midland avenue entertained a party of friends at white Wednesday night.

Miss Rose Jackson of Glenwood avenue was tendered a surprise party Wednesday night.

Assistant Postmaster John R. Conlan left yesterday afternoon for New Orleans to attend the Mardi Gras.

The Orange city officials are again talking about revoking the Crostown street railway company's franchise in this city.

The High School Alumni Association has been requested to repeat the play, "What Happened to Jones," for the benefit of the T. I. A., and will do so in about six weeks.

The third hearing in the Morris canal abandonment bill will be held at Trenton Monday.

The Board of Health held a regular meeting Monday night and transacted routine business.

Frank Narucki, the John street saloonkeeper, has withdrawn the reward of \$100 offered several months ago for the arrest of the men who robbed him of \$840.

Local chase-ball fans are talking plans for the approaching season.

A number of people from this town went to East Orange Monday to see President Taft when he passed through the Oranges.

The Lehigh Valley Railroad Company has succeeded in obtaining all the outstanding stock of the Morris Canal and Banking Company. This is an important step in the direction of canal abandonment.

The fire committee it is expected will make a report Monday on Phoenix Hose Company's request for an auto combination chemical and hose wagon.

Mayor Hauser has received a proposition from the City of East Orange for a joint conference on the subject of erecting a garbage disposal plant.

The Glen Ridge borough appropriations for the current year amount to \$64,919, an increase of \$9,310 over last year; \$3,750 of which goes for the borough's share in the cost of the railroad improvements.

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Glen Ridge Notes.

Miss Louise Oakes gave a salmon party at her home on Hillside avenue last Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence D. Newell, Jr., of Sherman avenue sailed last Saturday for Bermuda, where they will remain for several weeks.

The department of French literature of the Woman's Club of Glen Ridge met Tuesday morning at the residence of Mrs. Lester Wallace, 57 Douglas road.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Johnson have issued cards for a reception to be held at their home, Tuesday evening, February 27.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Nichols and Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Minasian of Clark street have gone to New Orleans, to remain several weeks.

Rev. W. B. D. Gray of Wyoming, who was the guest of honor at the Men's League dinner Tuesday night, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. Weston Bailey of Ridgewood avenue.

Miss Marguerite Jones, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. S. H. Miller, Jr., of North Hillside avenue for several weeks, has returned to her home in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Clara V. White of Marston place has been spending a few days with relatives in Jersey City.

J. P. Fireng of Ridgewood avenue will spend the next few weeks in Bermuda.

Miss Alice Brainard of Hillside avenue, who has been travelling abroad for several months, is now in Rome, where she will spend the remainder of the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Yard and Miss Margaret Yard of Douglas road left this week for Chicago, where they will remain several months.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sloane have issued invitations for a dance to be given for their son George at their home in Highland avenue, Friday evening, February 23.

Giles W. Mead of Ridgewood avenue has returned from a Western trip.

Miss Ida Jordan of Midland avenue, whose marriage to George W. Eddy of Frenchtown will take place in the early spring, was the guest of honor Saturday at a luncheon and miscellaneous shower given by Mrs. Joseph O'Brien of Berkeley Heights Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry G. Cordley, who have been to the Pacific Coast and travelling through the West for the past five weeks, returned Saturday night to their home in Ridgewood avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bell, who have been spending several weeks at the Hotel Chamberlain, Old Point Comfort, have returned to their home in Snowden place.

Not His Fault.

"Before we were married," the poet's wife complained, "you often said that you would never be able to do your best work until you could sit and hold my hand while you courted the muse."

"Yes, I know I said it."

"And now you can't do anything if I even happen to be in the same room with you."

"Well, am I to blame because holding your hand is like clinging to a bunch of celery? Get the old tingle back into your hand and I'll agree to make the lyre hum."—Chicago Record-Herald.

As Hated.

"John, how much did you give the preacher when we were married?"

"Three dollars."

"Three dollars! I should think you'd have been ashamed."

"I was. That was all that kept me from asking him for 50 cents in change."—Chicago Record-Herald.

A Woman's Way.

"It is time to start for our party. Why is your wife so long upstairs?"

"Is she changing her dress?"

"I rather think she is changing her mind."—Baltimore American.

Nothing can bring you peace but the triumph of principles.—Emerson.

Suit Over Dog Skin.

That the skin of a Pomeranian dog is worth \$250 is the contention of Dr. G. H. Earp-Thomson, who has just won a suit brought against Judge Lintott of the Second District Court against a suit brought against James K. Jurgastroyd, a taxidermist at 300 Market street, Newark. Dr. Earp-Thomson alleges that in July, 1910, he took the pelt of the dog to Morratroff to have it cured and that it has not been returned to him.

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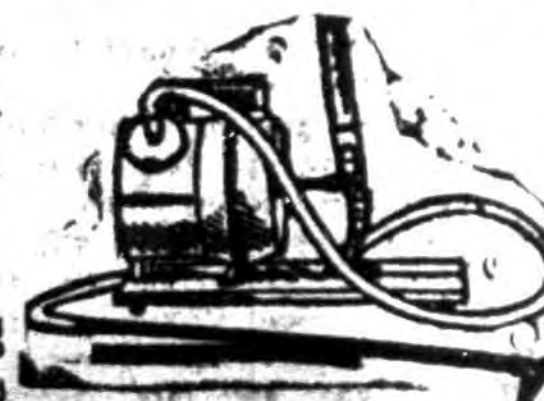
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